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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman, Guided Missile Intelligence Committee


SUBJECT: Cooperation Between Guided Missile Intelligence Committee and Economic Defense Intelligence Committee

1. Thank you for your memorandum of 7 March 1956 regarding the establishment of the Guided Missile Intelligence Committee. The Economic Defense Intelligence Committee will be pleased to cooperate fully with your Committee in such areas as are common to our respective responsibilities.

2. The Economic Defense Intelligence Committee is charged with providing intelligence for policy and operations relating to the economic defense programs of the United States. There are several aspects of our program which may be of interest to you and in which cooperation between our Committees may be productive.

3. The Economic Defense Intelligence Committee has recently proposed a more systematic identification of commodities now available for export to the Soviet Bloc which have substantially increased in strategic importance because of new scientific and technological developments. It is to be expected that a number of such developments will relate to the field of guided missiles. Because of its interest in new strategic uses, the Economic Defense Intelligence Committee has established a Working Group on Propellants and Fuel Additives. This Working Group will make use of guided missile intelligence within the scope of its special responsibilities, and may wish to call upon the Guided Missile Intelligence Committee from time to time for assistance in coordinating its intelligence production efforts.

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Chairman
Economic Defense Intelligence Committee

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